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SUBJ: NIGERIAN IMPORTS - GROWTH SECTORS

1. USDOC MAY FIND FOLLOWING NIGERIAN IMPORT STATISTICS PROVIDED BY THE FEDERAL OFFICE OF STATISTICS USEFUL IN ACQUAINTING US BUSINESSMEN WITH EXPORT OPPORTUNITIES IN NIGERIA. ALL DATA IN THOUSANDS OF NAIRA.

(1 NAIRA EQUALS DOLS1.60 APPROXIMATELY)

SECTION	JAN/JUNE 1975	JAN-JUNE 1976	PERCENTAGE CHANGE
O FOOD	116,802	186,700	PLUS 59.8
1 BEVERAGES & TOBACCO	9,802	31,800	PLUS 224.1
2 CRUDE MATERIALS	33,353	40,900	PLUS 22.6
3 MINERAL FUELS	46.001	85,100	PLUS 85.0
4 ANIMAL & VEGE-TABLE OILS	3,409	8,100	PLUS 137.6

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5 CHEMICALS	139,679	198,800	PLUS 42.3
6 MANUF. GOODS	435,241	558,000	PLUS 28.2
7 MACH & TRANS EQUIP.	639,364	1,090,900	PLUS 70.6
8 MISC. MANUF. GOODS	98,471	164,600	PLUS 67.2
9 MISC. TRANSACTIONS	4,518	5,600	PLUS 23.9
TOTAL	1,526,649	2,370,500	PLUS 55.3

2. OBVIOUS POINT TO BE MADE IS THAT WITH A 55.3 PERCENT IMPORT GROWTH RATE, NIGERIAN MARKET CONTINUES TO PRESENT ALMOST UNLIMITED OPPORTUNITIES FOR QUALITY US MADE EXPORT.
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